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PART VI.

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOREST DEPARTMENT.

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification, dated 16th November 1931.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification, dated 16th November 1931 published on pages 1281 to 1283, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 26th November 1931, regarding the sale of timber at Bukkapatna and in Madhugiri State Forests to be held on 21st December 1931.

K. RIYANNA,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Resale Notification dated 30th November 1931.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting Tangadi and Kakke Barks on all Government unoccupied lands and State Forests from the date of confirmation of sale to 30th June 1933, in the undermentioned taluk will be resold by public auction by the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, assisted by the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, at the risk of the original purchaser, as he has failed to pay up the cesses amounts on the one-eighth and 1st instalment and execute the required mutchalika duly furnishing Security deposit, etc., towards the Thangadi and Kakke Barks lease for 1931-33 :—

Taluk	Date of sale	Place
Malvalli	17th December 1931 at 2 P.M.	District Forest Office, Mysore.

For further particulars, please see pages 358 to 360, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated the 2nd May 1929.

Notification dated 4th December 1931.

Sealed tenders will be received by the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, Mysore, till 4 P.M. of the 17th December 1931, for the supply of the following kinds and quantities of rations to the Elephants in charge of the Forest Department in the District, as shown hereunder commencing from 1st January to end of December 1932.

2. For the convenience of the tenderers, the several ranges in which the elephants are stationed are arranged into three groups, *viz.*:—

(1) Group A.—1. Ainormarigudi, 2. Begur, 3. Kakankote and 4. Heggaddevankote Ranges.

(2) Group B.—1. Chamarajnagar.

(3) Group C.—1. Gundlupet, 2. Bandipur and Hediyal Ranges.

3. Tenders will be received either for all the groups or separately for each and must be submitted in the following form giving rates for the supply of each kind of rations noted below:—

1. For the elephants in the ranges of Group A.

(*a*) Paddy ...	...	1,000	pallas ...	} More or less.
(*b*) Salt ...	...	14	„ ...	
(*c*) Castor oil ...	...	10	maunds ...	

2. For the elephants in the ranges of Group B.

(*a*) Paddy ...	...	120	pallas ...	} More or less.
(*b*) Salt ...	...	1½	palla ...	
(*c*) Castor oil ...	...	1	maund ...	

3. For the elephants in the ranges of Group C.

(*a*) Paddy ...	...	50	pallas ...	} More or less.
(*b*) Salt ...	...	½	palla ...	
(*c*) Castor oil ...	...	¼	maund ...	

4. The supply of rations shall be made once a week in the places where the elephants are stationed in the Heggaddevankote, Chamarajnagar and Gundlupet Taluks, respectively.

5. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 100 in currency notes, as earnest money, and be superscribed as "Tender of the supply of Rations to Elephants."

6. The final acceptance of the tender will rest with the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender and to assign any reason whatsoever for rejection of the same.

7. The name of the successful tenderer will be notified on the Notice Board of the District Forest Office, Mysore, and the tenderer should, within a week of the intimation thereof enter into an agreement for the due fulfilment of the contract, duly furnishing a cash security deposit of Rs. 200 in the Government Savings Bank pledged in favour of the District Forest Officer, Mysore District. In default to execute the Bond and to furnish the security deposit, the tender will be cancelled and the earnest money forfeited to Government.

8. The tenderer should supply the rations in time and at the required places and should also be prepared to remove and replace any provisions which may be rejected by the Range Officer.

9. Once in a month, the tenderer will be paid through the Sub-Division Officer concerned for the value of the rations that may be supplied during the month on a bill to be prepared and sent to this Office (District Forest Office, Mysore) through the Forest Sub-Division Officer for sanction along with the receipts previously obtained by him for the supply of rations to the Range Officers.

10. The earnest money of the rejected tenderers will be returned to them immediately if they happen to be present at the time of opening of tenders and to others by post at their cost.

11. In all cases of disputes concerning the contract, the decision of the Chief Conservator of Forests will be final.

12. Quantities are not guaranteed but may be more or less.

Form of tender.

Serial No.	Name of provision	Quantity	Rate	Remarks—(here state whether for one group or for all the groups)

H. S. NARAYANA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

SALE OF BAMBOOS.

Notification dated 30th November 1931.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collection and removal of bamboos in the undermentioned forests of the Shimoga Division for the Calendar year 1932, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer or any other officer deputed by him on the dates and places and subject to the conditions mentioned below :—

Name of range	Name of Forest	Description of Block	Minimum quantity to be purchased		Place of sale	Date of sale	Remarks
			Big bamboos	Small bamboos			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
(1) Sacrebyle.	Sacrebyle ..	Coupe I compartment 1 to 7 whole forest.	50,000	1,00,000	District Forest Office, Shimoga	21st December 1931, Monday at 2 P.M.	The boundaries of working circles will be made known at the time of sale.
(2) Shankar ..	Shankar ..	Coupe I, 20, 23 & 6	—	1,00,000			
		Sottihalli F. S. ..	5,000				
		Maleshankar	5,000				
(3) Ayanur ..	Kumsi ..	Tirugannamadu F. S. ..		1,000			
		Doddi Poling series ..		5,000			
(4) Hunsgere ..	Hunsgere ..	Hunsgere Eastern F. S.	10,000				
	Kudi ..	Whole forest ..		10,000			
(5) Ripponpet ..	Mesakur ..	..	5,000	10,000			
	Herchitla ..	..	5,000				

The sale will commence at 2 P.M. precisely, on each day if it is not concluded on the same day and will be subject to confirmation of the District Forest Officer in case of bids of Rs. 1,000 and below and of the Conservator of Forests in other cases.

N.B.—It should be clearly understood that the contractor shall make his own arrangements for the removal of the bamboos, etc.

2. Each bidder shall, before he is permitted to bid, be required to furnish a solvency certificate under the Tangadi Sale Rules and deposit a sum of Rs. 50 (fifty) as earnest money with the officer conducting the sale. The deposit will be returnable to him at the close of the sale if his bid is not accepted. The person whose bid is accepted shall immediately after the close of the sale pay 25 per cent of the bid amount less the deposit already paid together with the local cess at one anna (per rupee), railway cess at 3 pies (per rupee) and education cess at six pies (per rupee), on the full sale amount, failing which, the right will be resold or worked by the department at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He will be liable for the loss, if any, that may result by such resale or departmental working, which will be recoverable from him as arrears of land revenue, but he shall not participate in any gain.

3. Defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sale.

4. The bamboos will be sold by number (*i.e.*, the bidders will have to bid at so much per 1,000 bamboos).

5. Power is reserved to the District Forest Officer or such other Officer conducting the sale as may be deputed by the District Forest Officer to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. Within a week from the date of intimation regarding the confirmation of the sale the person whose bid is accepted shall deposit as security a sum of Rs. 50 (fifty) or 25 per cent of the sale amount whichever is less for each block as security towards the due fulfilment of the contract. He shall also pay within that period the remaining 75 per cent of the contract amount due by him and shall execute an agreement on a stamped paper of proper value accepting the terms specified below, failing which, the amount already paid will be forfeited to Government and the produce resold or worked by the department at his risk as noted in clause (2) *supra*. The security deposit or the balance thereof as may remain over shall be repayable to the contractor on his producing proof relieving him of any liability under the contract.

The following are the further conditions to which the contractor should bind himself :—

(*a*) That the bamboos shall be collected or stored outside the block at such place or places as may be fixed by the Range Officer concerned and allowed to be removed on check by him and after a permit to remove is issued. Removal without such permit will be an offence to be dealt with according to law.

(*b*) That the purchaser shall not cut bamboos outside the limits of the block to which the lease refers and not exploit immature clumps less than three years old.

(*c*) That the lessee will be personally responsible for the acts of his agents, servants, or coolies employed in the cutting, collection and removal of bamboos and for preventing the cutting of clumps under two years by himself, his agents, servants or coolies.

(*d*) That he shall not sublet the contract to anybody or appoint any agent to work for him except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*e*) That he shall have no right whatsoever over the block and over the bamboos paid for but left unremoved in any of the blocks after 31st December 1932.

(*f*) That he shall accept the minimum quantity fixed in the notification as available in the block concerned and shall have no claim on the department for any deficit that may be found. If he removes any quantity above the minimum fixed within the lease period, he shall pay for the excess quantity at auction sale rates together with cesses thereon.

(*g*) That he shall abide by such orders as the District Forest Officer may issue regulating the transport of bamboos to and collection at their rafting station.

(*h*) That he shall abide by the rules of the department as regards the kindling of fires and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*i*) That he or his men shall not enter the forest after sunset and before sunrise.

(*j*) That he shall maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer showing the number of bamboos removed and shall keep it open for the examination of Forest Officers above the grade of guards.

(*k*) That he understands that the sale does not prohibit the issue of retail licenses at seigniorage rates or the exercise by the villagers of their rights in the Forests.

(*l*) That for any breach of any of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents, the contract shall be void at the option of the District Forest Officer, and that the latter may after issuing to the contractor a notice of cancellation of contract enforce forfeiture of all or any part of the deposit and shall resell the right or work if departmentally at the risk of the contractor as in clause (2) *supra*. If the deposit or part thereof is so forfeited, it shall be immediately made good by the contractor.

Notification dated 26th November 1931.

It is hereby notified for general information under Section 40 of the Mysore Forest Regulation that the undermentioned teak poles found unclaimed in the Palya dry land, behind the Taluk Office, Kumsi, have been kept in the custody of one Contractor Manjuram Tivari of Kumsi. These poles bear no sold stamp whatsoever of the Department. Persons having any right to the said poles are hereby requested to present a statement of their claim to the undersigned within a month from the date of publication of this notice and establish their claims, failing which these poles will lapse to Government under Section 42 of the said Regulation :—

1.	Teak pole	6'—8" x 1'—11"	1'—4" C.ft.
2.	Do	6'—2" x 1'—4"	1'—1" ,,
3.	Do	2'—7" x 2'—10"	1'—3" ,,
4.	Do	2'—6" x 3'—1"	1'—5" ,,
5.	Do	2'—7" x 2'—9"	1'—1" ,,
6.	Do	2'—8" x 2'—8"	1'—0" ,,
7.	Do	2'—7" x 2'—1"	0'—7" ,,
		Total ...	7'—9" C.ft.

Notification, dated 5th December 1931.

Sealed tenders will be received by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, till the 19th December 1931, for the supply of rations to the Forest Department elephants of this Division, commencing from 1st January to 31st December 1932.

2. An approximate estimate of the quantities of rations required is as follows :—

Paddy 200 pallas	More or less "
Salt 1 palla	
Castor oil 10 maunds	
Straw 3,250 bundles	
Rice 8 pallas	To be supplied occasionally.
Ragi flour	
Jaggery	

3. The supply should be made once in a week at Sakrebyle, Settihalli, Hanagere and Siveswar or Agumbe as the case may be.

4. Tenders should be submitted in the following form showing the rates at which the different kinds of rations specified will be supplied.

5. The tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 50 in currency notes as earnest money and be superscribed "Tender for the supply of rations to the Elephants."

6. The final acceptance of the tender will rest with the Conservator of Forest, Shimoga who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason whatsoever for rejection of the same.

7. The successful tenderer will be required to execute a contract bond within five days of the acceptance of the tender and deposit Rs. 50 *more* within the said five days as security in default his tender will be cancelled and his *earnest money* forfeited to Government.

8. Tenders will be opened by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, on the 19th December 1931, at 4 P.M., in the presence of such of the tenders as may be present in the District Forest Office, Shimoga.

9. The name of the successful tenderer will be posted on the notice board of the District Forest Office, Shimoga. No enquiries regarding the acceptance or rejection of a tender will receive any reply.

10. The tenderer should supply the required rations within the time fixed. He should also remove or replace the provisions rejected by the Department.

11. The earnest money of the rejected tenderers will be returned immediately after the opening up of the tenders at their cost.

FORM OF TENDERS.

Serial No.	Names of articles	Quantity	Rate	Remarks

C. A. JABBAR,
District Forest Officer.

BHADRAVATI FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated 30th November 1931.

Sealed tenders will be received in the Office of the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati Division, up to 4 P.M., on the 28rd December 1931, for the purchase of the undermentioned quantities of timber in the Depot at Hebbe in the Bhadravati Division.

Kind	Quantity	Remarks
	C. ft.	*More or less.*
Honne	420	These quantities do not include the stocks of timber received in the depot after 30th November 1931, the date of this notification.
Nandi	5,000	
Yettiga	200	
Hunal	2,500	
Other kinds	1,000	
Mathi	10,000	

1. The tender should be superscribed as "Tender for the purchase of timber from the Hebbe Depot." The rates should be per C.ft. of each kind written distinctly in words as well as in figures.

2. Each tender should be accompanied with the earnest deposit of Rs. 200 in currency notes which will be returned in the case of unsuccessful tenders.

3. The final acceptance of the tender rests with the Conservator of Forests or the District Forest Officer as the case may be who reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any tender without assigning any reason therefor.

Conditions.

Tender of defaulters to the department will not be accepted.

Tender should accompany with a solvency certificate as under the Tangadi sale rules.

Note.—It should be clearly noted that the contractor should make his own arrangements for the removal of timber from depot and that the Forest Department will not undertake any responsiblity in the matter of opening roads, etc.

Within a week from the date of intimation of the acceptance of the tender the contractor whose tender is accepted shall pay 10 per cent of the amount in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment of the one-tenth value as well as the initial deposit of Rs. 200. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government, and the officer conducting the sale shall be at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from resale shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government, shall not be taken into account.

The full value of all timber purchased shall be paid for within thirty days after the date of sale or within fifteen days after the date of the notice of confirmation of the sale whichever is later. In case of purchases above Rs. 1,000 in value, the purchaser shall be permitted to pay up the balance in instalments of not less than Rs. 1,000 provided the full value is paid not later than the 15th May 1932. The moneys shall be paid into such treasury as the District Forest Officer may direct, within the time specified.

If the amount is not fully paid for by the purchaser before 15th May 1932, the initial deposit as well as the other moneys already paid in, shall be forfeited to Government, and all or any portion of the timber not fully paid for, shall be resold at the risk of the purchaser in the manner prescribed for default of payment of one-tenth value.

No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale, including the 10 per cent deposit paid for the lot at the time of the sale; and no timber shall be removed from the depot unless a permit is obtained from the forest officer in charge of the depot. The earnest money will not be adjusted towards the value of timber until, 90 per cent of the purchase money over and above the security deposit has been paid.

Timber purchased should be removed as early as possible and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days after the 15th May 1932. Timber not removed after purchase, will remain in the depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of the confirmation of sale.

Ordinarily no extension of time will be given for the payment of any amount but if any amount is permitted to be paid after the due date interest will be charged therein at 9 per cent per annum.

If the timber is not removed, within the time allowed, the same may, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

The deposit of Rs. 200 will remain as security for the due fulfilment of all and every one of the terms of sale for the breach of any of which by the purchaser, the District Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture the sum so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the purchaser so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, will be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

Tender Notification dated 3rd December 1931.

Sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati Division, Bhadravati, up to 4 P.M., on the 23rd December 1931, for the right of collection and removal of Honge Seeds and Leaves in the undermentioned Ranges of the Division for the official year 1931-1932 :—

	Name of Sub-Division	Name of Range	Place of sale	Officer conducting the sale
1	Narasimharajapura ...	Narasimharajapura	District Forest Office, Bhadravati.	District Forest Officer, Bhadravati.
		Chikkagrahara		
		Umbalebile		
2	Hebbe	Tadasa		
		Hebbe		
		Muthodi		

N.B.—It should be clearly understood that the contractor should make his own arrangements for the removal of the produce.

2. The tender should be superscribed "Tender for the right of collection and removal of Honge Seeds and Leaves."

3. Each tender should be accompanied with the solvency certificate and the earnest deposit of Rs. 10 in currency notes which will be returned in the case of unsuccessful tenders.

4. The acceptance of tender rests with the Conservator of Forests or the District Forest Officer as the case may be who reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any tender without assigning any reason therefor.

5. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed off to the highest tenderer, subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer, or the Conservator of Forests as the case may be, who at his discretion may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. The successful tenderer shall, one week after the acceptance of the tender, pay up the entire sale amount together with the cesses on the entire sale inclusive of the initial deposit. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom. If the deficit be not paid it will be recovered as a Revenue demand; interest at 9 per cent will be charged on all arrears of lease amount.

7. If the tender is not accepted, the amount will be refunded.

8. The successful tenderer shall execute an agreement within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale binding himself to observe the conditions hereinder mentioned duly furnishing a security deposit equal to one fourth sale amount, if the total lease amount exceeds Rs. 100 in each case. In default, the acceptance of the bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited, and the right resold.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement :—

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible for the cutting or injuring of any other trees on the plea of collecting the produce. The lessee shall be held personally responsible for the acts of his agents or servants.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the produce.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sub-let it to others without the previous sanction of the District Forest Officer or the Conservator of Forests.

(*d*) The coolies employed by the lessee must take permission from the Range Officers before they enter State Forests.

(*e*) The lessee shall keep and render accounts every month to the District Forest Officer or Sub-Division Officer of the produce collected and removed by him or his agents during the month. His accounts will be liable for the inspection of the Conservator of Forests or the District Forest Officer or by any other officer deputed by either of them.

(*f*) The lessee, his agents or servants shall render all possible help in preventing the occurrence of fires in forests in which he or they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(*g*) The lessee shall remove out of the limits of the Forests all produce collected and sold under the terms of the lease before the close of the official year, each consignment should cover with a pass obtained from the Range Officer.

(*h*) Neither the lessee nor his servants shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*i*) The Village amarayi produce is not included in the contract.

9. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the lease will be liable to be cancelled, and the lessee fined to the extent of Rs. 100 which will be recovered as an arrear or of revenue demand.

SALE OF BAMBOOS.

Notification dated 5th December 1931.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collection and removal of bamboos in the undermentioned forests of the Bhadravati Division, for the Calendar year 1932, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer or any other officer deputed by him on the dates and places and subject to the conditions mentioned below :—

Name of Sub-Division	Name of Range	Name of Forest	Description of Block	Minimum quantity to be purchased		Place of sale	Date of sale	Remarks
				Big bamboos	Small bamboos			
Hebbe	1. Tadasa	1. Tadasa		5,000	15,000	Thadasa	6th Jan. 1932	Except Gunja all other Bamboos are included.
	2. Muthodi	1. Muthodi		2,000	10,000	Chikmagalur.	4th do 1932	
		2. Jagar W. C.			15,000			
		3. Kagemanegiri W. C.			10,000			
Narasimharajapura Sub-Division.	3. Umblebyle	1. Chornedehalli		4,000	9,000	District Forest Office, Shimoga.	5th January 1932	
		2. Umblebyle			6,000			
		3. Kakanahosalli			15,000			
		4. Sakribaile			20,000			
	4. Narasimharajapura.	1. Arambalii		2,000	15,000			
		2. Malandurgutta			3,000			
	5. Chikagrahara.	1. Kurgal		2,000	2,000			
		2. Magarmukhi		2,000	2,000			

The sale will commence at 2 P.M. precisely, on each day, if it is not concluded on the same day and will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer in cases of bids of Rs. 1,000 and below and of the Conservator of Forests in other cases.

N.B.—It should be clearly understood that the contractor shall make his own arrangements for the removal of the bamboos, etc.

2. Each bidder shall before he is permitted to bid be required to furnish a solvency certificate under the Tangadi Sale Rules and deposit a sum of Rs. 50 (fifty) as earnest money with the officer conducting the sale. The deposit will be returnable to him at the close of the sale if his bid is not accepted. The person whose bid is accepted shall immediately after the close of the sale pay 25 per cent of the bid amount less the deposit already paid together with the local cess at one anna (per rupee), railway cess at six pies (per rupee) and education cess at six pies (per rupee) on the full sale amount, failing which, the right will be resold or worked by the department at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He will be liable for the loss if any, that may result by such resale or departmental working, which will be recoverable from him as arrears of land revenue, but he shall not participate in any gain.

3. Defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sale.

4. The bamboos will be sold by number (*i.e*, the bidders will have to bid at so much per 1,000 bamboos).

5. Power is reserved to the District Forest Officer or such other officer conducting the sale as may be deputed by the District Forest Officer to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. Within a week from the date of intimation regarding the confirmation of the sale, the person whose bid is accepted, shall deposit as security a sum of Rs. 50 (fifty) or 25 per cent of the sale amount whichever is less for each block as security towards the due fulfilment of the contract. He shall also pay within that period the remaining 75 per cent of the contract amount due by him and shall execute an agreement, on a stamped paper of proper value accepting the above terms specified below, failing which, the amount already paid will be forfeited to Government and the produce resold or worked by the department at his risk as noted in clause (2) *supra*. The security deposit or the balance thereof as may remain over shall be repayable to the contractor on his producing proof relieving him of any liability under the contract. Interest at 9 per cent per annum will be charged on all arrears of lease amount to be paid after the due date but before the resale.

The following are the further conditions to which the contractor should bind himself:—

Conditions.

(*a*) That the bamboos shall be collected or stored outside the block at such place or places as may be fixed by the Range Officer concerned and allowed to be removed on check by him and after a permit to remove is issued. Removal without such permits will be an offence to be dealt with according to law.

(*b*) That the purchaser shall not cut bamboos outside the limits of the block to which the lease refers and not exploit immature clumps less than three years old.

(*c*) That the lessee will be personally responsible for the acts of his agents, servants or coolies employed in the cutting, collection and removal of bamboos and for preventing the cutting of clumps under two years, by himself, his agents, servants or coolies.

(*d*) That he shall not sublet the contract to anybody or appoint any agent to work for him, except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*e*) That he shall have no right whatsoever over the block and over the bamboos paid for but left unremoved in any of the blocks after 31st December 1932.

(*f*) That he shall accept the minimum quantity fixed in the notification as available in the block concerned and shall have no claim on the department for any deficit that may be found. If he removes any quantity above the minimum fixed within the lease period, he shall pay for the excess quantity at auction sale rates.

(*g*) That he shall abide by such orders as the District Forest Officer may issue regulating the transport of bamboos to and collection at their rafting stations.

(*h*) That he shall abide by the rules of the department as regards the kindling of fires and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*i*) That he or his men shall not enter the forest after sunset and before sunrise.

(*j*) That he shall maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer showing the number of bamboos removed and shall keep it open for the examination of Forest Officers above the grade of guards.

(*k*) That he understands that the sale does not prohibit the issue of retail licenses at the seigniorage rates or the exercise by the villagers of their rights in the Forests.

(4) That for any breach of any of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents, the contract shall be void at the option of the District Forest Officer and that the latter may, after issuing to the contractor a notice of cancellation of contract, enforce forfeiture of all or any part of the deposit and shall resell, the right or work it departmentally at the risk of the contractor, as in clause (2) *supra*. If the deposit or part thereof is so forfeited it shall be immediately made good by the contractor.

H. V. RANGASWAMY IYENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

SAGAR FOREST DIVISION

SALE OF TIMBER.

Notification dated 1st December 1931.

The undermentioned quantities of timber will be sold by public auction under the following conditions at the following sale depots by the District Forest Officer, or any other Officer deputed by him on the dates noted against each :—

Name of depot	Week day	Date	Teak	Nandi	Matti	Honne	Hunal	Hebbalu.	Other kind	Sawn timber other than teak
			C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft	C.ft.	
Shikarpur ..	Monday ..	14th December 1931	..	2,500	2,000	200	500	..	2,300	..
Shirakoppa ..	Tuesday ..	15th do	..	..	2,000	..	2,000	50	1,000	..
Anavatti ..	Wednesday ..	16th do	150	1,000	..	20	..	..	10	..
Shakunvalli ..	Thursday ..	17th do	1,500	..	5	..	10	..	..	..
Sagar ..	Saturday ..	19th do	901	1,500	..	..	100	1,000	500	..
Jog frontier ..	Monday ..	21st do	..	200	60	..	..	100	..	2,000
Chordi ..	Wednesday ..	23rd do	1,000	3,300	2,000	10	1,200	..	3,000	..

Remarks.—more or less.

N. B.—The sale will commence at 2 p.m.

N. B.—The sale will be continued on the morning of the next day, in case if it is not possible to complete it on the date notified.

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale but defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

In the case of purchasers of timber in small quantities full value thereof will be accepted, if tendered on the spot and the payment of deposit in such cases will not be insisted upon.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale, can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers. Should any lot be disputed it will again be put up and sold.

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder shall sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided for the purpose. Such signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of the sale as herein specified. All sales of which the amount exceeds Rs. 1,000 in each case are subject to the confirmation of the Conservator and in other cases to that of the District Forest Officer.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay 10 per cent of the amount in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment of the one-tenth value as well as the initial deposit of Rs. 200. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government and the officer conducting the sale shall be at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from resale shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government shall not be taken into account.

In cases of resales for default of payment of value where no bidders are forthcoming, it will be open to the District Forest Officer to fix such price as may appear to him to be reasonable and to proceed for the recovery from the defaulter of the balance, if any, after deducting the price so fixed from the original sale amount. A registered notice should be issued, to the defaulter intimating the price fixed by the District Forest Officer, for the unsold wood and the amount still due from him which will be recovered as arrears of Land Revenue.

6. The deposits tendered by the unsuccessful bidders shall be returned immediately after the sales are concluded, those of successful bidders being lodged in the Savings Bank as security deposit.

7. The full value of all timber purchased shall be paid for within 30 days after the date of sale or within 15 days after the date of the notice of confirmation of the sale whichever is later. In case of purchasers of above Rs. 1,000 in value, the purchaser shall be permitted to pay up the balance in instalments of not less than Rs. 1,000 provided the full value is paid not later than the 15th May 1932. The money shall be paid into such treasury as the District Forest Officer may direct within the time specified.

8. If the amount is not fully paid for by the purchaser before the 15th May 1932, the initial deposit as well as the other moneys already paid in, shall be forfeited to Government and all or any portion of the timber not fully paid for shall be resold at the risk of the purchaser in the manner prescribed for default of payment of one-tenth value in clause 5 *supra*.

9. No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale, excluding the 10 per cent deposit paid for the lot at the time of the sale; and no timber shall be removed from the depot unless a permit is obtained from the Forest Officer in charge of the depot. The earnest money will not be adjusted towards the value of timber until 90 per cent of purchase money over and above the security deposit has been paid.

10. Timber purchased should be removed as early as possible, and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days after the dates fixed in clause 7 *supra*. Timber not removed after purchase, will remain in the Depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of the confirmation of the sale.

11. If the timber is not removed within the time allowed, the same may, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

12. The deposit of Rs. 200 will remain as security for the due fulfilment of all and every one of the terms of sale; for the breach of any of which by the purchaser, the District Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture, the sum so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the purchaser so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, shall be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

13. Interest will be charged on all belated payments at 9 per cent from the date of their falling due up to the date of payment.

14. The timber of defaulters in the sales held during 29-30 and 30-31, will be resold at the time of these sales at the risk of the original purchasers.

C. ABDUL JABBAR,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 18th November 1931.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notifications calling for tenders for the purchase of, (i) timber in high forests (ii) timber in pole forests and (iii) fuel trees, published on pages, 1284 to 1287, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 26th November 1931.

Notification dated 27th November 1931.

It is hereby notified for general information under section 40 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, that the following teak poles which were found lying near Birur unclaimed, have been seized and handed over to the custody of the Patel. Persons having any claim to the said timber are hereby required to present a statement of their claim to the undersigned within a month from the date of publication of this notice and establish their title, failing which, the timber will lapse to Government under section 42 of the Regulation :—

Serial No.	Kind	Length	Girth	Cubic feet	
				C.ft.	In.
1	Teak	8—0	2—9	3	0
2	Do	8—0	2—4	2	9
3	Do	8—6	3—11	3	1
4	Do	8—2	4—0	3	2
	Total ...	...	...	22	9

Notification dated 1st—4th December 1931.

It is hereby notified for general information that the timber sales of the following Depots notified on pages 1263 and 1264, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 19th November 1931, to be held on 1st and 2nd December 1931, is post poned to 21st and 22nd as detailed below :—

Chikmagalur Koti on 21st December 1931.
Kadur Depot on 22nd December 1931.

S. VENKATAVARADIENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated 19th November 1931.

The attention of intending purchasers is drawn to pages 1288 and 1289, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 26th November 1931, notifying the sale of fuel coupe for 1931-32 in the Chitaldrug District.

Resale Notification of Tangadi and Kakke barks dated 7th December 1931.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting the Tangadi and Kakke barks on all Government or unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserve lands and plantations from the date of confirmation of the sale up to the 30th June 1933, in the following Hobli of the Chitaldrug District, will be resold by public auction by the Deputy Commissioner, Chitaldrug District, or an Assistant Commissioner, deputed by him assisted by the District Forest Officer, Chitaldrug District, at the risk of the original purchaser who has failed to pay up the 1/8th khist amount due on 1st October 1931, with cesses thereon in spite of notices issued to him. The resale will be held at 2 P.M. on Monday the 28th December 1931.

(*N.B.*—For other conditions, please see notification of 1929-31.

Name of hobli	Place of sale	Date of sale	Name of lessee
Devasamudra ...	District Forest Office, Chitaldrug.	28th December 1931.	Mr. Mohamed Hyath of Devasamudra Hobli.

B. MADHAVA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

KOLAR DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated 26th November 1931.

The attention of the public is invited to the resale notification of Thangadi and Kakke barks in certain Taluks of the District published on page 1305 Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 3rd December 1931.

M. A. VARADACHAR,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification, dated 20th November 1931.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification of date re the sale of timber in several depots of the Mysore District, published in pages 1306 and 1307 Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 3rd December 1931.

H. S. NARAYANA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated 23rd November 1931.

The attention of the public is invited to Notification dated 26th November 1931, on pages 1288 and 1290, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 26th November 1931, calling for tenders for restoring Heresandra Minor Tank of Ulsoopet Taluk. The last date of receipt of tender is 14th December 1931. Earnest money to be deposited is Rs. 150.

N. G. KRISHNA IYENGAR,
Executive Engineer.

SPECIAL DIVISION.

Astract Notice dated 30th November 1931.

Attention of the public is invited to the notice calling for tenders for constructing two wings to the Administrative Block of the Princess Krishnajammanni Tuberculosis Sanatorium, Mysore, published on pages 1319 to 1321 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 3rd December 1931.

The last date for receipt of tenders is Saturday the 19th December 1931.

V. V. PATANKAR,
Executive Engineer.